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Who does his best as a circumstance

allows, does well, acts nobly; angels

could no more.—Young

### PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION

#### MEMORIAL DAY

Whereas, this nation has been conceived in prayer and devotion by men and women who were moved under God to found a nation where principles of right should form the lasting cornerstone; and whereas these principles purchased at the price of great sacrifice have been fostered by a worthy posterity; and whereas the great war has lately laid its costly demands upon our lands, now, therefore, I, Warren G. Harding, President of the United States, do hereby proclaim:

MONDAY, THE THIRTIETH DAY OF MAY, a day already freighted with sacred and stimulating memories, a day of public memorial service to our fellow-citizens fittingly to pay homage on this day to a noble dead who sleep in home-land, beneath the sea, or on foreign fields, so that we, who survive, might enjoy the blessings of peace and happiness and to the end that liberty and justice, without which no nation can exist, shall live forever.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done in the District of Columbia this third day of May, in the year of our Lord 1921, and of the independence of the United States the 145th.

WARREN G. HARDING.

### GRANGE OPPOSED

To "Sentimentalists" Bringing Odious Class of Foreigners Into Maine.

Limerock Valley Pomona Grange met with Penobscot View Grange last Saturday. A fine program and a bountiful supper were the features.

A discussion of the immigration question was followed by the adoption of the following resolutions:

"Resolved: That, in view of a proposed plea of the United Americans (so-called) to induce immigrants to come to Maine and settle, that the members of Limerock Valley Pomona Grange are opposed to having Maine saddled with the responsibility of providing for, and educating any more immigrants.

"Resolved: That we hereby denounce the men who are at the head of this movement, and call upon all genuine Americans to do the same.

"Resolved: That the same amount of money, time, and expense of education, be given to the disabled veterans of the World War, that these sentimentalists purpose to bestow upon an odious class of foreigners who are not wanted elsewhere, and so are to be wished upon Maine.

"Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Governor and the Senators and Members of Congress from this state and be furnished to the press."

## PORT CLYDE

MRS. BRENNAN has taken the hotel at Port Clyde, which has been thoroughly renovated, and will be open for Summer visitors June first.

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### FRANZ HERMAN'S WILL

Reputed Millionaire Left Bulk of Estate To Widow—Vinalhaven Estate To Be Sold.

Photographic copies of the will of the late Franz Herman, whose fine summer estate at Vinalhaven is one of the show places of Knox county, were filed at the Knox Registry of Probate Tuesday in connection with the petition for the probate of the will. They were accompanied by exemplified copies of the proceedings in the New York courts where the original testament was admitted to probate, the documents complete occupying 35 pages.

One of the provisions of the will is that the body of the deceased should be cremated, and this request was carried out soon after Mr. Herman's demise.

The deceased owned one of the finest collections of postage stamps in the world, said to be worth thousands of dollars. This is to be sold at public auction in accordance with the will, and the proceeds will be disposed of as part of the residue.

To Maximiliana Herman, widow of the deceased, is left household and personal articles, not otherwise disposed of, the live stock, tools and farm implements on the farm at Vinalhaven, a life interest in the Vinalhaven estate, and the income, as long as she lives, from the remainder of the estate, which is left to the executors in trust. Upon the death of the widow one-third of the estate goes to the adopted son, Franz Herman; and the remainder, in equal shares, to a sister of the testator and to the children of a deceased brother.

No inventory of the estate has yet been filed, but Mr. Herman, who was president of one of the largest insurance companies in the world, is reputed to have been a millionaire. His benevolences were so great that they doubtless made a large inroad into his fortune and nowhere was his generosity he more greatly missed than in Vinalhaven and vicinity, where he had always been exceedingly kind to the widow.

It is understood that the widow has already arranged for the sale of the Vinalhaven property which consists of 350 acres of land, a summer villa, a modern farmhouse occupied by the caretakers, a greenhouse, modern barns, a stable with eight blooded horses, 400 hens, a large flock of sheep, hogs, ducks, geese, etc. This property will be sold as soon as legal proceedings can pave the way. Already several prospective buyers of the various articles to be offered have inspected this Vinalhaven estate.

The executors are J. E. Wall and Paul Wolf, former business associates of the deceased. Charles T. Smalley of this city is attorney for the executors, and a petition for his appointment as agent in Maine has been filed.

### CAPTAIN KENT'S FUNERAL.

Portland Fire Hero Was Brought To Rockland Home For Burial.

The body of Captain James C. Kent who was fatally injured in the burning of the Deering High School building Saturday was brought to this city on the noon train yesterday and interred in the family lot at Achorn cemetery. The remains were accompanied by Capt. Kent's widow, his son Edgar of Lowell, Mass., and his daughter, Orissa, of Portland.

The following account of Tuesday's funeral service in Portland is taken from yesterday's Press.

"A peculiar coincidence in connection with the funeral service of Captain James C. Kent of Engine Company No. 6 yesterday is that it was held on his birthday and the day of the week which was his regular day off. The funeral was from his home, 16 Sherman street, at 2.30, the Rev. Dr. James F. Albion, pastor of the Congress Square Universalist church officiating. There was a very large attendance of friends and acquaintances of the dead captain. Members of the fire department to the number of about 50 assembled at Engine 6's house and marched to the house, where they formed outside and remained during the services. Dr. Albion stood in the bay window of the house during the service, his words being distinctly heard both inside and outside the house. The service was very simple, consisting of prayer, scripture reading and a short eulogy. The entire service was of only about 20 minutes duration.

"The body was taken to Rockland for burial following the services. The bearers were four of Captain Kent's associates in Engine Company No. 6, Lieut. McCarthy, Engine men Hammett, Hoseman Varney and Driver O'Brien."

The floral emblems were very beautiful, among them being a basket of roses from the city government, a bunch of American Beauty roses from the "West End Boys," a pillow from his company, Engine 6; a wreath from Hose 12 of Peaks Island, a wreath from Engine 2, a set piece from the Firemen's Union and flowers from the Golden Cross and Knights of Pythias. Among the prominent firemen present were Chief Butler Deputy Chief Moulton, and District Chief Read.

Local merchants have contributed a grand array of prizes for teams and individuals in the Twilight League. There are some jokers in the collection and some very desirable rewards of merit. Just glance into the window of the Thomas Sporting Goods Co. next Tuesday if you want to see an interesting collection.—adv.

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ANNE NEILY, PIANIST

Who will appear at the concert to be given by the Harmony Club, in the Baptist Church, Wednesday evening, June 1. Mrs. Neily has won distinction as a brilliant performer, her work upon the concert platform having won the highest praise throughout the country. She is the wife of Rupert Neily, who has founded the Rupert Neily School of Music in Portland, regarded as a forward movement of much importance in the musical world of Maine.

### NOTED SPEAKER

Will Be In Rockland In Connection With the Baptist State Convention.

A conference on Fundamentals is to be held by the Baptists of Maine in the First Baptist church in this city June 6 and 7. This immediately precedes the State convention which meets in Camden and the arrangement will afford the delegates an opportunity of attending both meetings on the one trip.

This conference is backed by the so-called conservatives, men who believe in the Bible as God's word, the Virgin birth, the deity of Christ, the resurrection and the vicarious atonement. Last year a like conference was held at Milo and received generous support from Baptist workers all over the State.

The speaker for the entire program will be Rev. J. C. Massee, pastor of the Baptist Temple, Brooklyn, N. Y.

and vice president of the Northern Baptist convention. Dr. Massee succeeded Courtland Myers in his pastorate in Brooklyn and has made a worthy successor of that noted preacher. Last year because of his prominence at the Northern Baptist convention Dr. Massee was made vice president, the highest honor accorded a clergyman in the denomination, as it has been the established policy for many years to elect a layman as president.

Dr. Massee is a man of commanding personality, a born leader and with a generous Christian spirit. As a preacher he has tremendous power, speaking clearly yet simply and convincingly. The subjects he has chosen for his addresses are: Monday night, The Testimony of Eye Witnesses to the Gospel Message; Tuesday morning, The Heart of the Gospel; Tuesday afternoon, Eternal Life and Its Implications.

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### MUSIC FESTIVAL

High School Pupils of Knox-Waldo Counties In Camden Friday Night.

The sixth annual May Music Festival of the High Schools of Knox and Waldo counties takes place in the Camden Opera House tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock standard. The High Schools represented will be Camden, Rockport, Rockland, Thomaston, Warren, Union, Vinalhaven, North Haven, Islesboro, Belfast, Searsport, Brooks, Winterport—a chorus of 200 pupils under the direction of Miss Margaret G. Ruggles of Thomaston, and an orchestra of 40 pupils under the direction of Dr. I. E. Luce of Thomaston. Miss Gertrude Saville of Rockland will be the accompanist.

The following program will interest every music-lover in the two counties:

Orchestra—The Eagle's Nest, Isenman  
Chorus—Springtime Revelries, Parker  
Violin—Nocturne, Chopin  
Trio—Heistad, Camden  
Chorus—Send Out Thy Light, Gounod  
Dobson—Maiden's Voice, Gounod  
Lewis O'Brien, Wendell Field, Ralph Gledenn, Leo Harrington, Otto Record, Hiram Cole, Ira Curtis, Howard Rollins, all of Rockland  
Chorus—Annie Laurie, Belfast Quartet  
Flow Gently, Sweet Afton, Schuberth  
The Campbells are Coming, Schuberth  
Soprano—Who is Sylvia?  
Evelyn Long, Rockland  
Orchestra—Fifth Nocturne Op. 52, Leybach  
Chorus—On the Deep, Molloy  
Soprano—Farewell, Sweet Flower, Stedman  
Violin obligato by Paul Brainerd, Rockport  
Chorus—A Merry Life, Benza  
Baritone—The Vanguard of the King, Bailey  
Margaret Hanly, Thomaston, at the piano  
Chorus—Barcarolle from the Tales of Hoffman, Offenbach

Semi-Chorus: Shirley Dugan, Daphne Winslow, Shirley Doherty, Frances Shaw, Corice Thomas, Phyllis Brown, Ruth Burkett, of Rockland, Hazel Burkett of Thomaston

Contralto—Selected, Charlotte Knowlton, Belfast  
Chorus—Belle Remy from "Aida," Verdi  
Violin—Air de Balles, Adamowski  
Bertha Luce, Thomaston  
The Maid and the Frog, de Koven  
Soprano—The Maid and the Frog, de Koven  
Orchestra—Call of Bagdad, Bolduc  
Chorus—Morning Ramble, Vezle

Miss Margaret Ruggles, music director for Rockland and Thomaston schools, has been working early and late for three months to produce this fine program. She has not only given her time and strength unreservedly to train the chorus and special numbers, but has had all the labor and trouble of making the arrangements with the other schools, supplying them with music, keeping in touch with their progress and bringing together from all the schools the special talent which appears on the program. None but Miss Ruggles has the musical talent and business ability to bring about the result. She has in addition a fine spirit of unselfish devotion which induced her to undertake the task.

Cars will leave Rockland waiting room at 2 o'clock (daylight time) in order to reach Camden for the rehearsal which will begin there at 2 o'clock standard time. The evening concert begins at 8 o'clock standard time.

### ACCIDENT CASES

And How They Were Disposed of By the Industrial Accident Commission.

The Industrial Accident Commission, of which Arthur L. Thayer is chairman has been uncommonly busy this spring. One of its trips was to Rockland, where the following cases were disposed of:

Barney Tarvis vs. City of Rockland, petition dismissed by agreement of parties, the matter having been adjusted satisfactorily.

William R. Robbins vs. the East Coast Fisheries Products Company, a petition to determine the degree of permanent impairment. Mr. Robbins was awarded 100 weeks' specific compensation on account of the permanent impairment to the usefulness of the injured hand.

Petition of Mary A. Bend vs. the East Coast Fisheries Products Company dismissed for want of prosecution.

Case of Lewis J. Small vs. the John L. Goss Corp., petition to end compensation on the ground that the incapacity had ended was granted. Compensation was ordered ended as of the date of the petition.

The case of Warren A. Small vs. Cumberland Shipbuilding Company, partial compensation was agreed upon and petition for review of agreement or decree allowed to that extent.

Ulysses G. Wotton vs. George A. Gilchrist, lump sum settlement was allowed.

Georgina Henderson, wife of Leon O. Norwood, of North Union died Wednesday morning at a hospital in Rockland. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock (standard time) from her late residence in North Union.

### YOUR FAVORITE POEM

Whatever your occupation may be and how ever crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.

THE DREAMS AHEAD  
What would we do in this world of ours  
Were it not for the dreams ahead?  
For thorns are mixed with the blooming flowers,  
No matter which path we tread.

And each of us has his golden goal,  
Stretching far into the years,  
And ever he climbs with a hopeful soul,  
With alternate smiles and tears.

That dream ahead is what holds him up  
Through the storms of a ceaseless fight,  
When his lips are pressed to the warmest's cup  
And clouds shut out the light.

To some it's a dream of high estate,  
To some it's a dream of wealth;  
To some it's a dream of a trace with Fate  
In a constant search for health.

To some it's a dream of home and wife,  
To some it's a crown above;  
The dreams ahead are what make each life,  
The dreams, and faith, and love!  
—Edwin Carlisle Litsey.



# The Courier-Gazette

THREE-TIMES-A-WEEK

Rockland, Maine, May 26, 1921.  
Personally appeared Frank S. Lydell, who on oath declares that he is pressman in the office of the Rockland Publishing Co., and that of the issue of The Courier-Gazette of May 25, 1921, there was printed a total of 5,383 copies. Before me,  
FRANK B. MILLER,  
Notary Public.

## ON MEMORIAL DAY.

The preparation of the Achorn Cemetery for the coming Memorial Day will furnish gratification to our people such as they have never previously experienced in that connection. For the first time in the history of the cemetery every lot has been mown—lots that for more than half a century have had no such attention. The graveled drives are neatly raked and rolled; large ornamental vases bearing flowers mark the recently developed center ground that sometime will blossom into a park. Above the entrance at the head of the driveway leading from the Meadow Road has been erected a large arch of evergreen. The whole effect of these improvements is in marked good taste and so harmonize with the day to be celebrated as that a peculiar interest will this year attach to the sacred place to which will turn the feet of countless citizens. The service of sacred and patriotic song, to be held there in the forenoon is particularly to be noted.

Ambassador Harvey's plain and straightforward speech before the London Pilgrim Club ought to serve to brush away the cobwebs that have somewhat obscured the European vision as to this country's connection with the World War. He reads his history very much awry who contends that the United States poured out its treasures of blood and money for the sole purpose of punishing Germany for overwhelming brutalities to Belgium and France. It was when it became plain that, once the Allies were overcome, Germany's clear intention was next to invade America and make us pay the bills, that our people rose as one man and went to the help of the almost vanquished nations. We do not of course lose sight of the fact that there was a great wealth of sentiment going along with this very practical action, and it deserved to be so, but it is going too far to claim, as many asserted and continue to assert, that it was upon the high grounds of altruism that this country's action rested. The outcome of the Civil War was the freeing of the Negro, but whoever today asserts that "the North went to war to free the slave" is ignorant of history. Col. Harvey has done a good thing.

That there are not a thousand men among the millions of citizens of the United States who can make out an average income tax statement and do it right, was the assertion of Senator Reed Smoot at a recent hearing before the finance committee of the Senate. His assertion was approved by the nodding of heads of many business men who were present and who had been through the nerve-racking experience of trying to comply with the requirements of the income and excess profits tax laws.

On May 1, 1921, Germany is reported to have owed the United States \$268,840,000 for expenses of the American Army of Occupation. She has paid 17,160,000 paper marks in the shape of foodstuffs and materials furnished. That huge debt may be one of the reasons that impelled President Harding to appoint representatives to sit with the reparations commission and the other European councils that are arranging the peace settlements.

A valued correspondent calls attention to this paragraph:

"Why were the saints, saints? Because they were cheerful when it was difficult to be cheerful, patient when it was difficult to be patient; and because they pushed on when they wanted to stand still, and kept silent when they wanted to talk, and were agreeable when they wanted to be disagreeable. That was all. It was quite simple, and always will be."

Waldoboro distinguishes itself this year in its Memorial Day exercises by having a woman for its orator. Is this not the first time in Maine?

## JUDGE MILLER

Is Reappointed By Gov. Baxter, With a Personal Compliment.

Frank B. Miller, who has just concluded his first term of four years as judge of the Rockland Municipal Court, was reappointed Tuesday by Gov. Baxter.

His first term has been marked by a large and varied amount of business, and it has certainly received his fullest consideration, without fear or favor, and with no distinction on account of race, color or creed. The negro and the poor man have been treated with just as much consideration as the white man and the man of wealth and influence. Judge Miller has heeded to the line, but he has done it impartially.

He is feared by all lawbreakers and respected by them.

In addition to his official act of making the appointment, Gov. Baxter sent to Judge Miller the following personal letter, which is deeply appreciated by him:

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## WENT TWELVE INNINGS

Rockport Loses a Hard Fought Game With Camden—  
Rockland Outclassed In Vinalhaven.

Yesterday's game at Vinalhaven was fraught with sorry consequence for Rockland High. Instead of gaining ground on Thomaston High, as had been hoped, the local team finds itself ousted from the position of runner-up, passed not only by Camden and Vinalhaven, but tied by Lincoln Academy, the team which earlier in the season was considered a joke as far as pennant chances were concerned. This does not mean that the pennant race is yet settled, but the four teams which are struggling along in Thomaston's trail realize the full meaning of the old adage about "a stern chase." The standing:

Team	Won	Lost	Per Ct.
Thomaston High	6	1	.857
Camden High	3	2	.600
Vinalhaven High	3	2	.600
Rockland High	3	3	.500
Lincoln Academy	3	3	.500
Rockport High	0	7	.000

Rockport High, which has been giving Camden High no little uneasiness this season, waged a 12-inning battle with that team in Rockport yesterday afternoon. The home team had a lead of 6 to 2 at the beginning of the 4th inning, but Camden continued to plug away, and tied the score in the 9th, by making two runs. Neither team scored in the 10th, and each made a solitary tally in the 11th. Then Rockport cracked under the strain, two errors, combined with a single by Dodge, a double by Willey and a base on balls netting Camden four runs. Best Rockport could do was one score, and the bitter disappointment of being so near yet so far was hers. One of the notable features of this highly interesting contest was Carleton's splendid one-hand catch.

The summary:  
Camden, 2 0 0 1 1 1 0 2 0 1 4—12  
Rockport, 0 0 5 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1—9  
Base hits, Camden 9, Rockport 4.  
Errors, Camden 4, Rockport 12. Batteries, Willey and Dodge; Duntun and Payson. Scorer, Brainerd Paul.

Rockland High played at Vinalhaven yesterday, and was defeated 14 to

2. Flanagan and Smith pitched for Rockland, and Poole was in the box for Vinalhaven, with 10 strike outs to his credit. The box score was not available when this paper went to press.

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Couldn't Hit Rising.  
At 5:30 Saturday morning on the Broadway Grounds, the R. H. S. Freshmen baseball team played Thomaston Freshmen, who appeared, before starting, as easy victims. At the end of the second inning however the score was 4-1 in their favor, their first two hits being a single and a double. The R. H. S. Fresh. were a bit handicapped by not having three of their regular men, R. Snow, S. Snow and E. Perry. Frank Stewart took S. Snow's place on 1st base for part of the game. After the third inning the local Fresh began to pile up the score in spite of their opponents' efforts to stop them. Rising pitched the entire game with 17 strikeouts. The summary:

R. H. S. Fresh: Rising (Capt.) p. Baum c. Knights c. F. Stewart 1b. Ames 2b. Massin ss. Ludwig 3b. Winchenbach r. Robshaw cf. La-Crosse cf. Grant lf.  
T. H. S. Fresh: Robbins p. Hall c. Kallach 1b. Condon 2b. Grafton 3b. Brasler ss. Stone lf. Benner cf. Tilton rf.  
R. H. S. Fresh, 1 2 3 3 5 3 0 5 x—21  
T. H. S. Fresh, 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 1—6

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Waldoboro's Waterloo.  
At Kennedy's alley Monday night local bowlers settled an old score by defeating the Waldoboro team 2310 to 2245. The game was proceeding very evenly until the fourth string when the debonaire Harry Phillips rolled up his sleeves and scattered the pins for a total of 144. His grand total for the evening was 518. (Mr. Shapiro will kindly take notice that there is still some kick left in his late opponent). Fitch was high line for Waldoboro. The score:  
Rockland—Lawry, 424; Pettee, 453; Freeman, 456; Phillips, 518; Sullivan, 469; total, 2210.  
Waldoboro—Woodbury, 446; Smith, 446; Nash, 421; Fitch, 478; Benner, 454; total, 2245.

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The Courier-Gazette fund has received a number of additions, listed below.

Capt. A. E. Wingfield, Rockland	50.00
Mrs. M. T. Amesbury, Thomaston	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Palmer, Rockland	1.50
Mrs. H. P. Rockland	2.00
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E. T. Haskell, Rockland	5.00

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## TARIFF FIGHT OVER

Emergency Measure Adopted  
By Large Majority After  
Long Fight in Congress.

The long battle in Congress over the emergency tariff bill was ended Monday when the House by a vote of 245 to 97 adopted the conference report to which the Senate already had agreed. The measure was sent to the White House, where it was expected to be signed by President Harding soon after his return from New York.

The emergency measure passed in the closing days of the last session was voted by President Wilson, but immediately re-introduced with the opening of the present extra session.

As finally passed, it carries tariff duties on 20-odd products of the farm together with compensatory duties on the articles manufactured from them. It also empowers the secretary of the treasury to employ penalties in staying off dumping of foreign made goods, continues the war-time control over importations of dyes and operates to clarify tangles in the assess-

ment of duties which result from fluctuating exchange rates.

At its first appearance, and through the long debates that followed, opponents of high tariff predicted retaliatory action by Canada, by the South American countries and by some nations of Europe. Chairman Fordney of the House ways and means committee, which drafted the bill, said, however, that no protests had come and that he had seen signs of only a few moves in retaliation.

Only a slight flurry of opposition appeared as the bill went into the roll call Monday. Representative Garner of Texas, a Democratic member of the ways and means committee, restated the position of a majority of his party and again declared the bill could do no possible good; that it was a "sop" to the farmers, and that the Republicans had not rushed the bill to passage until it had been made "to take care of their industrial interests by compensatory duties."

## WOMEN REPUBLICANS.

A Republican women's meeting for each Knox county town has been called at the request of state headquarters, to take place in Judge Miles' office, 307 Main street, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock standard. Take along suggestions for future plans. All are invited.

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## Talk of the Town

## COMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS

May 26—Annual levee and ball of J. E. Sears Hose Co. in the Arcade.  
 May 27—Knox-Waldo Music Festival in Camden Opera House.  
 May 28—League Baseball—Thomaston High vs. Camden High, in Camden.  
 May 28—Opening of Penobscot Arms (formerly Crescent Beach Hotel), and dedication dance in Pavilion.  
 May 29—Union Memorial Sunday services in the Universalist church.  
 May 30—Memorial Day.  
 June 1—Harmony Club concert at the Baptist church.  
 June 1—Concert by Harmony Club, Lottie McLaughlin, soprano, in First Baptist church.  
 June 6—(7 p. m.)—Women's Educational Club study period, Methodist vestry.  
 June 7—United Baptist Convention of Maine meets at Baptist church, Camden.  
 June 9—Rockland High School Commencement in Park Theatre.  
 June 11—Annual Reception in Temple hall.  
 June 12—Meeting of Rockland Lodge of Perfection, at 3 p. m.  
 June 23—State teachers' examination, Rockland High School.  
 July 11—Community Chautauqua in Rockland.  
 July 27—Thomaston: Knox Memorial benefit.  
 Aug. 2—Thomaston: Baptist church circle hold their summer sale.

Mrs. Cora Cushman has opened her summer home at 28 South Main street for the season.

Class 12 of the M. E. church hiked to the Samoset Saturday where a picnic was enjoyed.

Rockland High plays the Rockland locals on the Broadway ground Saturday at 2:30.

Mrs. Maud Maddocks of Brewer has been the guest of Mrs. Samuel St. Clair, Trinity street.

Edwin Scarlett has arrived home from Kirksville, Mo., where he attends the American School of Osteopathy.

All service men whether members of the American Legion or not, are invited to march with Winslow-Holbrook Post in the Memorial Day parade.

George F. Barbour, proprietor of the Corner Drug store, was operated upon for appendicitis at Knox Hospital yesterday. His condition is very satisfactory.

The First Baptist Church was represented at the quarterly meeting of the Lincoln Association in Belfast yesterday by Rev. B. P. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Rhodes, Mrs. Mary Ulmer and Miss Elsa Hayden.

There are still some balcony seats left at the Corner Drug Store for the Knox-Waldo Music Festival. The program starts at 8 o'clock, standard. This means that Rockland folk taking the 8 o'clock car will be in ample season. There will be cars to Rockland and Thomaston after the festival.

Elm street neighbors are vying with each other in the matter of improving premises. James Welch, F. C. Pratt and Charles E. Heckbert have new or remodeled verandahs.

The old folk dances at Odd Fellows are said to be the best spring medicine in the world. 'Nother one tomorrow night.

After long and heart-breaking delay the railroad has finally landed here from Halifax, Nova Scotia, the household goods of Rev. Mr. Ratcliff and the family is now well settled in its Grove street home, while Mr. Ratcliff, clad in businesslike overalls, is to be seen in the act of spring gardening, in which ancient occupation he will have opportunity to match experiences with his Methodist contemporary across the division line.

The Girls Class of M. E. Sunday School will hold a cooked food sale in the store of Mr. Willis Ayer's Saturday from 10 a. m.—adv.

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## FULLER-COBB-DAVIS

Mrs. Charles R. Clements (formerly Edna Wardwell) who is ill at Silby's Hospital, is able to sit up.

The East Coast Fisheries Company shipped five carloads of cured fish and two carloads of fish meal last week. Not bad for a volcano which is supposed to be inactive—Col. George R. Goethals, general manager of the East Coast Fisheries Company, and Mark Norman, one of the directors, have been in the city this week on business.—Four more trawlers at this port remain to be painted, after which the crew will tackle the three at Pulpit Harbor and the three at Rockport.—And now everybody is waiting to see what happens to the reorganization plans.

Under the provisions of the will of the late Mrs. Nellie Gilchrist of Rockland, who died in August, 1919, Gilford B. Butler, esq., executor of the will, has just paid over to the Rockland Y. M. C. A. a legacy of \$2000. Other Knox County organizations receiving legacies under the will are the Rockland Baptist church \$1000, St. George Baptist church \$1000 and South Thomaston Baptist church \$1000.

The Park Commissioners organized Monday evening, electing Ex-Mayor Frank C. Flint, chairman, and Frank H. Ingraham secretary. Ensign Otis is the newly elected member of the board. The commissioners visited Sea View and Achorn cemeteries and the Tolman burying ground Tuesday. Considerable interest is being manifested in the last named, and it is hoped that, through the co-operation of the Sons of the American Revolution and the Daughters of the American Revolution, with others interested, this graveyard may be put into shape. All those interested in Sea View should emulate the example set by those who have made Achorn a model cemetery. Individual lot owners should see that their lots are put in shape for Memorial Day at Sea View. Telephone the secretary at 468.

H. H. Stover, who was found in his horse stall a few weeks ago, unconscious and terribly bruised, is now able to sit up, though still very weak.

Elias Nassar who has been in Dover, N. H., has returned to this city where he will carry on the business of buying and selling antique furniture and old-fashioned articles.

Two carloads of horses arrived by American Railway Express the first of the week—one for C. L. Burrows of this city, the other (eight fine saddle and driving horses) for J. R. Douglas, who has a summer home at Camden.

Robert A. Webster who has been serving as officer on a freight steamship between Boston and German ports, is home for an indefinite stay. He has seen many interesting things on the other side of the water, but nothing that interests him so much as good old Maine. Perhaps he has acquired a few Dutch yells to spruce up the side-lines during the Twilight League games.

The coming concert under the auspices of the Harmony Club (June 1 at the First Baptist church) is an ambitious essay on the part of the young women of that organization to cater to the musical taste of the community and should meet with cordial support. This means that those who love good music shall lend encouragement by their presence, so that the full seating capacity of the concert room shall be utilized. The securing of two artists of the character of Miss Lottie McLaughlin of New York, soprano, and Mrs. Anne Neely of Portland, pianist, is accompanied by a large expense, only to be met by the sale of tickets. The admission has been made very small (only 55 cents) because of the desire on the part of the club that the general public shall share in the pleasure of the evening. Tickets are on sale at the Maine Music Co. and by the club members.

## NEW HIGH SCHOOL

## Committee Outlines a Plan By Which It Can Be Financed.

The committee on new school building met at the City Government rooms Tuesday night and held an informal discussion as to the progress already made.

The question of location was touched upon lightly, but for the present, at least, is being subordinated to the main idea of having a new High School building.

Means and means; ways and means—that is the great issue just now, and the one which was chiefly considered Tuesday night. At the close of the session the committee issued this statement:

"One of the propositions put up to the committee on the new High School Building is the forming of a High School Corporation to issue bonds to the amount of \$175,000, payable in 15 years, the City to take up \$35,000 and the balance to be sold to the public without commission. Under this arrangement the city would contract with the corporation to lease the building at a rental sufficient to retire the bonds with interest at 5% in 15 years.

"The City Government now puts aside \$5000 yearly towards a new High School building and by adding one mill to the present tax rate an additional \$6700 could be raised yearly, or a total of \$11,700 per annum, which would be sufficient to retire the bonds in 15 years. This would mean a tax increase of \$2 per year to the citizen whose property is assessed at \$2000."

## MARKING PINE HILL

## Entrance To Glencove Was Important Point During Revolution.

A point of historical interest, little known as such, is about to receive recognition from Rockland Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution. The marker which tells the story will today be erected on the Camden road at Pine Hill entrance to the village of Glencove. This will be the inscription:

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 REVOLUTIONARY LOOKOUT  
 PINE HILL  
 Opposite here, at entrance to  
 Clam Cove, now Glen Cove, was  
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 and a lookout maintained on the  
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 in barracks located on the Wil-  
 liam Gregory Farm, 1/2 miles  
 back from the Pine Hill. Erected  
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There will be roller skating at the Training Station Rink on the night of Memorial Day. The rink will close for the season on the following night. Don't miss these last few golden opportunities.

## BORN

Stanley—Martinsville, May —, to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stanley, a son—Carlton Harris Overlock—Liberty, May 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Joel Overlock, a son.  
 Joost—At Silby Hospital, Rockland, May 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joost, a daughter.

## DIED

Teague—Warren, May 25, Mrs. Ellen M. Teague, aged 93 years, 8 months, 1 day. Funeral Saturday at 2 p. m.  
 Norwood—Rockland, May 25, Georgia (Henderson) wife of Leon O. Norwood, formerly of Rockland, aged 49 years, 3 months, 19 days. Funeral Friday, at 2 p. m. from her late residence in North Union.  
 Dickens—Camden, May 25, Thomas C. Dickens, aged 69 years, 25 days.  
 McKellar—Spence Head, May 25, Thomas E. McKellar, aged 76 years, 3 months, 3 days. Funeral Saturday at 2 o'clock.

The charge for publishing a Card of Thanks is 50 cents, cash to accompany the order. Poetry published with an obituary is charged for at 10 cents a line.

## Fishing Tips

If you had Lincoln McKee's luck you, too, would carry fishing gear and a can of angle-worms when you went off on a motoring trip. The popular salesman of the Central Maine Power Co. was returning from Lincolnville Centre Tuesday afternoon, and when near Whitmore's Cove on the Turnpike saw a fish leap from the limpid surface of Megunticook Lake.

"Cripes sakes!" exclaimed Link. Ditching the car, with a reckless disregard for consequences, he seized the fishing rod from the back seat, and from some place of concealment brought forth a can of squirming angle worms.

"I'm going after that salmon," quoth Link, and for the more he started the strike came about the fourth cast, and the yank on the line proved it to be quite some fish.

"Criminy!" shouted Link. The struggle which ensued lasted about three-quarters of an hour, and it is hard telling who was more excited—the Rockland fisherman or the several spectators who had been attracted to the scene. Netting the salmon from a boat might have been an impossible task, but the man on the shore maneuvered the big fish into the jog formed by a boulder, and the feat proved comparatively easy.

But Mr. McKee found a lively struggle on his hands after the salmon had been "beached." Time and again he struck the salmon on the head with a club and it was finally beaten into submission. The big fellow died hard, however, and was still squirming when it tipped the scales at 9 1/2 pounds.

Yesterday morning its official weight was found to be 9 pounds and 1 ounce, and its length 31 inches.

When it was all over Link raised his hat, but nowhere could it be seen. When he moved there was the tile, battered and bruised, in the mire where the excited fisherman had been using it as a door-mat.

The salmon was promptly entered in the sweepstakes for all the local prizes, including the 21 meals at the Bee Hive. What "Don Munroe," the proprietor, said, is something that is supposed to bring ill luck to fishermen. But he was excited.

Maybe Harold Burgess, W. Sansom, et al., will beat this catch before June 1st, but it's not a good bet.

R. M. Packard, Fred Smallwood and Francis Hunter have gone to Patten for a week or 10 days of fishing. They are making the trip in Mr. Packard's car.

The Littlefield Memorial Church is soon to add a passage to its property, it having been decided to buy the Carver house on Adams street for that purpose. Sewer connections will be made, and the house will undergo a thorough renovation before becoming the domicile of the popular new pastor, Rev. O. W. Sturges. Plans for raising the necessary funds are being devised. The complete returns of the recent budget drive were \$2291.70.

Vice President Andrew Slides, the Camden boy recently promoted by the Eastern Steamship Lines, Inc., was in the city Tuesday on business, and incidentally was kept busy responding to congratulations. He was accompanied by L. D. Mosely, who has charge of all the corporation's engineering work on both the eastern and western divisions.

The 5th Company, C. A. C., hiked to the Samoset Sunday and there broke ranks long enough for a ball game, in which Lieut. Veazie was guilty of less majesty by defeating Captain Brown's team 5 to 3. The batteries were Sartelle and Ellwell and Ames and Condon, and the heroes who umpired were Nate Saunders and Al Curtis. Austin Condon made a baberth.

The Maine Central steamers Pennaquin and Bangsley were expected yesterday. The latter has lately been on the South Railway for cleaning and painting. Commanded by Capt. J. L. Norton, she will resume her old route "Around the Hills," about June 14, while the Pennaquin, in command of Capt. L. E. Foss, will go on the Rockland-Camden route about June 27.

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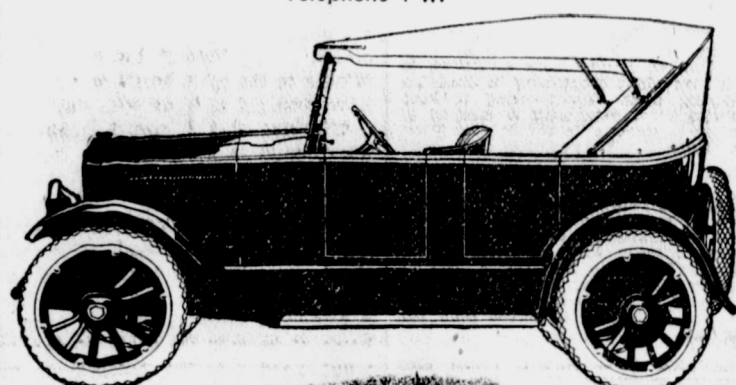
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Asparagus, bunch . . . 30c	Corned Pig's Legs, lb. 8c
Ripe Tomatoes, lb. . . 30c	
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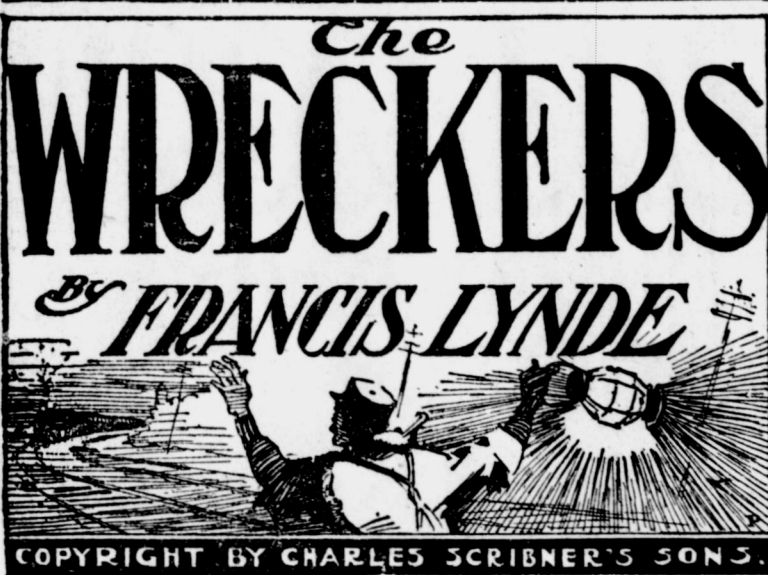
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## SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Graham Norcross, railroad manager, and his secretary, Jimmie Dods, are marooned at Sand Creek siding with a young lady, Sheila Macrae, and her small cousin, Shoshie, who witness a peculiar train holdup, in which a special car is carried off.

CHAPTER II.—Norcross recognizes the car stolen as John Chadwick's, financial magnate, whom he was to meet at Port City. He and Dods rescue Chadwick. The latter offers Norcross the management of the Pioneer Short Line, which is in the hands of eastern speculators, headed by Breckenridge Dunton, president of the line. Norcross, learning that Sheila Macrae is stopping at Port City, accepts.

CHAPTER III.—Dods overhears conversation between Rufus Hatch and Gustave Henkel, Port City financiers, in which they admit complicity in Chadwick kidnapping, their object being to keep Chadwick from attending a meeting of directors to reorganize the Pioneer Short Line, which would jeopardize their interests.

CHAPTER IV.—To curb the monopoly controlled by Hatch and Henkel, the Red Tower corporation, Dods forms the Citizens' Storage and Warehouse company. He begins to manifest a deep interest in Sheila Macrae. Dods learns that Sheila is married, but living apart from her husband. Norcross does not know this.

CHAPTER V.—Hatch, aware that Dods has knowledge of his and Henkel's participation in the Chadwick kidnapping, offers him inducements to leave Norcross. Dods refuses. Leaving the office, he is knocked senseless. Recovering consciousness, he learns that Norcross has disappeared and is believed to have resigned and gone east.

CHAPTER VI.—Dods connects Norcross' disappearance with machinations of Hatch and Henkel, and on recovering strength sets out to solve the mystery.

CHAPTER VII.—With Kirgan, the road's master mechanic, Dods gets a line on Norcross' disappearance. They follow a clue given them through a missing locomotive.

CHAPTER VIII.—The rescue party finds and releases Norcross from captivity to which he had been lured. Norcross resumes control of the Pioneer Short Line, refusing to give place to man whom Dunton has sent to take charge.

CHAPTER IX.—Dods follows an emissary of the Red Tower people to Norcross, to a coal yard, where he overhears a plot to put Norcross out of business, and at the risk of his life frustrates it.

CHAPTER X.—At the home of Sheila Macrae Dods drives the people of strange actions of a man he believes has designs on the life of his friend and boss. He prepares to defend him.

CHAPTER XI.—The sudden return of Sheila's uncle drives the people of strange actions of a man he believes has designs on the life of his friend and boss. He prepares to defend him.

CHAPTER XII.—Durgin, night dispatcher, routes passenger and freight trains to meet on a single track. Disaster is narrowly averted. Durgin commits suicide, leaving evidence that he was bribed to bring about collision.

CHAPTER XIII.—Evidence accumulates that Norcross' enemies are plotting his death, but against all advice he decides on a trip on a special train over the line. A plot engine, driving ahead, discovers displaced rail which would have thrown the special down a mountain side. Norcross hears for the first time that Sheila Macrae is married. He refuses to believe it.

CHAPTER XIV.—Hatch and other owners of the Red Tower corporation call on Norcross and inform him they have proof that in the recent election the road has made use of bribery. Hatch gives Norcross proof that the actual bribing was done by Howard Collingwood. Hatch demands Norcross' immediate resignation as the price of silence. Norcross learns from Sheila that Collingwood is her husband, and feels the ground has been cut from under his feet.

CHAPTER XV.—Hatch secures control of Citizens' Storage and Warehouse company, and engineers a strike, to embarrass the railroad line. Norcross shows Collingwood how Hatch has used him for his own ends, to down him (Norcross), and Collingwood threatens to kill Hatch.

CHAPTER XVI.—Van Brit, general superintendent, Norcross' right-hand man, resigns, refusing to give any satisfactory reason for the act. Norcross begins to feel the situation is about hopeless.

CHAPTER XVII.—Pioneer Short Line employees call sympathetic strike. Collingwood, drinking heavily and reported close to insanity, remains in hiding.

## CHAPTER XVI

## The Deserter

Mr. Norcross called out and tried to overtake Collingwood, going as far as the foot of the stairs. I went, too, but got only far enough to meet the boss coming up again. There was nothing doing. The station policeman had seen the crazy rounder jump into a taxi and go spinning off up-town.

There was another jolt waiting for us when we got back to the office. While we were both out, Mr. Van Brit had blown in from his room at the foot of the hall and we found him lounging comfortably in the chair that Collingwood had just vacated.

"I thought maybe you'd turn up again pretty soon, since you'd left the doors all open," was the way he started out. Then: "Sit down, Graham; I want to talk a few lines."

Mr. Norcross took his own chair and twirled it to face the general superintendent. "Say it," he commanded briefly.

"I've just been figuring a bit on the general outlook; you have a decently efficient operating outfit here, what with Perkins and Brant and Conway handling the three divisions as self-contained units. You don't need a general superintendent any more than a monkey needs two tails."

"What are you driving at?" was the curt demand we say retrenchment, for one thing. As I size it up, you might just as well be saving my salary. It would buy a good many new crosses in the course of a year."

"That's all bunk, and you know it."

snapped the boss. "The organization as it stands hasn't a single stick of dead wood in it. You know very well that a railroad the size of the Short Line can't run without an individual head of the operating department."

Mr. Van Brit laughed a little at that.

"If you should get some one of these new efficiency experts out here he would probably tell you that you could cut your staff right in two in the middle."

I could see that the boss was getting mighty nearly impatient.

"You are merely turning handsprings around the edges of the thing you have come to say, Upton," he barked out. "Come to the point, can't you? What have you got up your sleeve?"

"Nothing that I could make you understand in a month of Sundays. I'm sore on my job and I want to quit."

"Nonsense! You don't mean that?"

"Yes, I do. I'm tired of wearing the brass collar of a soulless corporation. What's the use, anyway? I found a bunch of dividend checks from my bank at home in the mail to-day, and what good does the money do me? I can't spend it out here; can't even tip the servants at the hotel without everlastingly demoralizing them. I'm like the little boy who wanted to go out in the garden and eat worms."

The boss was frowning thoughtfully.

"You're not giving me a show, Upton," he protested. "Can't you blow the froth off and let me see what's in the bottom of the stein?"

"Pledge you my word, it's all froth, Graham. I want to climb up on the mesa behind the shops and take a good deep breath of free air and shake my fist at your blamed old cow-track of a railroad and tell it to go to the devil. You shouldn't deny me a little pleasure like that."

It was getting under the boss' skin at last. "I can't believe that you really want to resign," he broke out, sort of hopelessly. "It's simply preposterous!"

"Pull it down out of the future and put it in the present, and you've got it," said Mr. Van Brit. "I have resigned. I wrote it out on a piece of paper and dropped it into your mail box as I came through the outer office. It's signed, sealed, and delivered. You'll give me a testimonial, or something of that sort. 'To Whom It May Concern,' won't you? I've been obedient and faithful and honest and efficient, and all that, haven't I?"

"I'd like to know where you got your liquor, Upton. That is the most charitable construction I can put upon all this. Why, man alive! you're quitting me in the thick of the toughest fight the grafters have put up."

"Yes, I know; but a man's got only one life to live, and I've always had a sneaking sympathy for the high private in the front rank who didn't want to stand up and get himself shot full of holes. I'm running, and if you should ask me why, I'd tell you what the retreating soldier told Stonewall Jackson: he said he was running only because he couldn't fly." Once more the boss grew silently thoughtful. Out of the digging mental inquiry he brought this:

"Has this sudden notion of yours anything to do with Sheila Macrae, Upton?"

"Pledge you my word again, I met Sheila on the street today and promised her that I wouldn't so much as tip my hat to her while Collingwood is on this side of the Missouri river."

"But if you quit, you'll go east your self, won't you?"

"Maybe, after a while. For the time being, I'd like to loaf on you for a week or so and watch the wheels go around without my having to prod them. It's running in my mind that this newest phase of the C. S. & W. business is going to stir up a mighty pretty shindy, and I had a foolish notion that I'd like to stick around and look on—as an innocent bystander."

"The innocent bystander usually gets shot in the leg," the boss ripped out, with a brittlest kind of humor. And then: "I suppose I shall have to let you do what you want to—and let you pick your own time for giving me the real reason. But you're crippling me most savagely, Upton—and at a time when I am least able to stand it."

Mr. Van Brit got up and edged his way toward the door.

"It's a good reason, Graham; and some time—say when we are walking through the pearly gates of the New Jerusalem together—maybe I'll tell you about it. If I were really a good scrapper, I'd stay and help you fight it out with Hatch; but you know the old saying—capital is always cowardly; and my present credit at the Port City National is pretty well up to a quarter of a million, thanks to the dividends I deposited today. Good-night. I'll see you in the morning—if by that time you haven't decided to cut me cold."

I kept right busy over the indexes after Mr. Van Brit went away, just to give the boss a little chance to catch up with himself. He sure was catching it hot and heavy on all sides.

We needed now was for President Dunton to come smashing in with one more good jolt and it would be all over but the obsequies, the monument and the epitaph. At least, that is the way it looked to me.

It was along about ten o'clock when the boss closed his desk with a bang and said we'd better saw it off for the

night. I walked up-town with him and as we were passing the Bullard he turned in to ask the night clerk if Collingwood was in his room. The answer was nix; that the young New Yorker hadn't been seen since dinner. On the way out we saw Mr. Van Brit at the telegraph alcove. He was



Handing in a Thick Bunch of Telegrams for Transmission.

handing in a thick bunch of telegrams for transmission, and he rather pointedly turned the sheaf face down upon the marble slab when we came along, as much as to say "It's none of your business what I'm doing."

It struck me as sort of curious that he should have so much wire correspondence when he claimed to be taking a rest, and why he was so careful not to let us get a glimpse of what it was all about. But the whole thing was now so horribly muddled that a little mystery more or less on anybody's part couldn't make much difference; and that was the thought I took to bed with me a little later after we reached our rooms in the railroad club.

## CHAPTER XVII

## The Beginning of the End

However much the Hatch people may have wanted to avoid publicity regarding the change of ownership and policies in the Storage & Warehouse reorganization, the prompt announcement of a general strike of the employees was enough to make every newspaper in the state sit up and take notice.

We had the Mountaineer at the breakfast-table in the club grill-room on the morning of the day when the strike was advertised to go into effect. There was a news story, with big headlines in red ink, and also an editorial. Cantrell didn't say anything about the railroad company. His comments were those of an observer who wished to be straight-forward and fair to all concerned, but his editorial did not spare the silly local stockholders whose swapping and selling had made the coup possible.

Cantrell, himself, mild-eyed and looking as if he'd got out of bed about three hours too early, drifted into the grill-room and took a seat at our table before we were through.

"I wanted to be decent about it; Norcross," he said, forestalling anything that the boss might be going to say about the editorial in the Mountaineer. "I'm trying to believe that the men higher up in your railroad councils haven't fathered this Hatch scheme of consolidation—which is more than some of the other pencil-pushers will do for you, I'm afraid. Thanks to your publicity measures, everybody believes that you still hold the whip-lash over the combination with your ground losses. I'm not asking what you propose to do; I am merely taking it for granted that you are going to stick to your policy, and hoping that you will come and tell me about it when you are ready to talk."

"I shall do just that," the boss promised; and I guess he would have been glad to let the matter drop at this, only Cantrell wouldn't.

"I lost three good hours' sleep this morning on the chance of catching you here at table," the editor went on. "A little whisper leaked in over the wires last night, or, rather, early this morning, that set me to thinking. You haven't been having any trouble with your own employees lately, have you, Norcross?"

"Not a bit in the world. Why?"

"There is some little excitement, with the public taking a hand in it. There were indignation meetings held last night in a number of the towns along your lines, and resolutions were passed protesting against the action of the new combination in cutting wages, and asserting that public sentiment would be with the C. S. & W. employees if they are forced to carry out their threat of striking at noon today. The whisper that I spoke of intimating that the protest might extend to the railroad employees."

"There's nothing in it," said the boss decisively. "I suppose you mean in the way of a sympathetic strike, and that is entirely improbable. I imagine very few of the C. S. & W. employees belong to any of the labor unions."

"A strike on the railroad would hit you pretty hard just now, wouldn't it?" Cantrell asked.

Mr. Norcross dodged the question. "We're not going to have a strike," he averred; and since we had finished our breakfast, he made a business excuse and we slid out.

When we reached the office we found Mr. Van Brit on hand, reading the morning paper.

"You don't get around as early as you might," was the little millionaire's comment when the boss walked in and opened up his desk. "I've been waiting nearly a half-hour for you to show up. Seen the papers?"

The boss nodded.

"I don't mean the strike business; I mean the market quotations."

"No; I didn't look at them."

"They are interesting. P. S. L."

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Common went up another three points yesterday. It closed at 38 and a fraction. You know what that means, Graham. It means that Uncle Breckenridge and his crowd are already joyfully discounting your coming resignation. Somebody has given them a wire tip that you are as good as down and out, and unless a miracle of some sort can be pulled off, I guess the tip is a straight one. Strong as he is, Chadwick can't carry you alone."

"Drop it," snapped the boss irritably. And then: "Have you come to tell me that you have reconsidered that fool letter you wrote me last night?"

"Not in a million years," I returned the escaped captive airily. "I am here this morning as a paying patron of the Pioneer Short Line. I want to hire a special train to go—well, anywhere I please on your jerkwater railroad. The Eight-Fifteen will do, with Buck Chandler to run it."

"Pshaw! take your own car and any crew you please. We are not selling transportation to you."

"Yes, you are; I'm going to pay for that train, and what's more, I want your written receipt for the money. I need it in my business. Then, if Chandler should happen to get gay and dump me into the ditch somewhere, I can sue you for damages."

"All right; if you will persist in joking with me it's going to cost you something. How far do you want your train to run?"

"Oh, I don't know; anywhere the notion prods me—say to the west end and back, with as many stops as I see fit to make, and perhaps a run over the branches."

I saw the boss make a few figures on a pad under his hand.

"It would cost anybody else, roughly, something like five hundred dollars. On account of your little joke it's going to cost you a cold thousand."

Mr. Van Brit took out his check-book and a fountain pen and solemnly made out the check.

"Here you are," he said, flipping the check over to the boss' desk. "Now shell out that receipt, so that I'll have to show if anybody wants to know how much you've gouged me. Since you're making the accommodation cost me a dollar a minute, how long have I got to wait?"

To be continued—Began March 31. Back copies can be supplied.

## LIBERTY

Mr. and Mrs. William Rhodes, Mrs. Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. C. Arthur Nutt and daughter were guests of Mr. Overlock Sunday, motoring from Camden via Belfast.

O. B. Fuller and Stanley Powell were in North Union Saturday.

S. T. Overlock has been farming for O. B. Fuller.

John Overlock and John Light are cooping for B. E. Cunningham.

Arthur Overlock has bought a new dump cart.

Howard and Marcher Light were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sukeforth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Sukeforth were in Rockland Saturday.

Daniel Linscott was at S. T. Overlock's Sunday.

Mrs. O. B. Fuller is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Clark, in Unity.

Several from here attended the Grange meeting Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Turner remains in about the same condition.

John Comeau spent the weekend in Auburn.

There will be a benefit dance at W. W. Light's hall Friday evening.

Miss Lola Powell was in Waterville Saturday.

One day's eggs pays for a bushel of potatoes. Some different from last year's price.

No damage was done by the tornado.

## MONHEGAN

Dr. Hall of Port Clyde was in town Friday.

Electric lights are being installed in the Tribler cottages.

William Cobb of Boston has arrived in town for the summer.

Moody of Cape Porpoise was in town Thursday.

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## MARTINSVILLE

All the men in the neighborhood were summoned quickly by telephone last week to what seemed to be a dangerous fire. The fountain field was blazing but the many hands soon had the fire under subjection, and no property was destroyed.

Mildred Bachelier was home from Rockland Sunday.

Rev. S. E. Packard was at Mrs. M. E. Hupper's Wednesday. He was in town to officiate at the funeral services of the late Mrs. M. J. Simmonds of Tenants Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cook and friends went to Portland by auto Saturday, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis of Portland called on Mrs. T. B. Harris Saturday.

Mrs. H. N. Rawley visited Mrs. Jerome Jones last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Soule of Augusta were at the Leonard cottage last week.

Mrs. M. E. Hupper and sister Mrs. Hodgdon arrived home last week after spending the winter months in Washington, D. C.

Clement Stimpson, while working at the quarry, had the misfortune to crush his hand in one of his feet.

The circle met at the Grange Hall parlor Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lydia Gardner of Westfield, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Jerome Jones.

Harold Mason has built a new rabbit house. It's a fine-looking one too.

Mrs. Montfort Hupper spent last week with friends in Boothbay.

A fine new building for the hens has been put up at the Bingo farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mason and Mrs. W. N. Hooper were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Montfort Hupper, Friday evening. A very pleasant evening was spent, much enjoyed and a delicious lunch served.

The home of Herbert Piersons was struck by lightning Sunday evening in the terrible electrical storm which passed over this locality. It visited every room in the house, tearing things up as it went, with the exception of one chamber, in which their little daughter was lying asleep. Mrs. Pierson was rendered unconscious, the lightning tearing the eyelids from the front of her face and burning her foot. Much sympathy is extended them in their misfortune.

Don't forget the entertainment Monday evening, May 29 at the Grange Hall. A fine program is being prepared and ice cream will be for sale.

## SOMERVILLE

Dexter Turner of Palermo was at his brother's, Fred A. Turner, Monday.

James Pratt of Windsor was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Frank E. Moore of Augusta was at F. A. Turner's Tuesday.

Mrs. William MacDaniel has suffered another paralytic shock and is very ill.

Mrs. Nancy Soule of Windsor is working at Fred Hiler's.

Mr. Ellis of Augusta was a business caller in town Wednesday.

F. A. Turner attended the baseball game at Erskine Academy, South China, Wednesday, played by Freedom Academy and Erskine Academy students.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tyler of Palermo were recent evening visitors at the Turner home.

M. A. Hiler is bunching staves at Colby Bros.' mill.

Erskine Academy baseball team, which includes Fred L. and Lewis A. Turner of this town, went to Norridgewock Saturday and played a game with the High School there. The party stopped in Waterville on the return trip and attended the theatre.

Telephone that item of news to The Courier-Gazette, where thousands of readers will see it.

## SOUTH SOMERVILLE

S. L. Bartlett sold a fine driving horse to Will Hall of Union recently and took a jersey cow in part payment.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cargill and little son of Washington were at Mrs. Etta Hewett's Sunday.

Maurice Clifford who has employment with the Jefferson Farms, Inc., was in town Sunday. He also visited Walter Burdick in West Washington.

A. A. Bartlett has sent a team to Union to haul lumber to the station

and load it on cars for a lumber company which is operating in that town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Haley, who have been living in Jefferson, have bought the T. P. Jones' estate, and will move there at once. Mrs. Haley formerly Miss Daisy Giddens of Somerville, is well known here. Everyone will be glad to see the place occupied and wish this young couple good luck in whatever business they may undertake.

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## THOMASTON

Mrs. Sarah Foster, Mrs. Walter Currier, Miss Agnes Hanley, Mrs. Katherine Bradley and B. F. Frye motored to Bangor Wednesday.

Members of the J. F. Club sold candy among the audience at Union Theatre Tuesday evening, thereby securing the fund for the Chinese Relief about one dollar. Following are the names of the members of the Club: Lucille Reed, Mildred Smith, Maud Keizer and Gladys Harrington.

Mrs. Merritt Clark and little daughter Ruth of Tenants Harbor spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clark.

Mrs. F. H. Reed visited her sister in Vinalhaven Saturday.

John Taylor of Watertown, Mass., and son Harvey of Bridgeport, Conn., are in town this week, called by the death of Vincent Taylor of Cushing.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Davis motored to Seaboard Wednesday.

Mrs. T. W. Pease is spending the week in Richmond.

Mrs. Pore of Framingham is the guest of Mrs. W. D. Andrews for a few days.

Mrs. John Creighton is spending the week in Boston.

Many requests have been made for a repetition of "Princess Chrysantheum" and there is general hope that it may be done in the near future. Without doubt, it was the most successful affair ever given here, both teachers and pupils of the grammar school working hard to make it a success. Let's help them by starting a school fund for a new building at some future date.

The following chairman have been appointed to take charge of the different committees for the Knox Memorial benefit, which will be given in Watts hall, July 27, by the D. A. R. Publicity and press, Mrs. Lois Creighton; cooked food, Mrs. Ella Dunn; fancy work, Miss Hortense Wilson; cards, Mrs. Emily Stevens; refreshments, Mrs. Annie Willey; decorations, Mrs. Mary Barker; dance, Mrs. Lois Creighton. The general committee will be comprised of citizens and it is hoped that all will heartily co-operate to make the affair a success.

Barring graduation the last item of the High School graduating class program is the Senior play. Much Ado About Betty is the fascinating title and when you watch the progress of this play you will find the greatest satisfaction in the knowledge that it is one of the season's best works. The characters are well placed and adapted. Interest is kept up with the bits of humor, adding a zest to the whole. At Watts hall, June 2.

The G. A. R. hall will be open Saturday afternoon and ladies of the Relief Corps will be prepared to make wreaths for Memorial Day.

The D. T. Club met Monday evening with Mrs. Stanley Cushing, a very enjoyable time, much sewing being accomplished and a financial success achieved.

Mrs. Stanley Cushing reports \$77 collected from interested people for the benefit of the women and children in Ireland. Many thanks are due the contributors.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Frye motored to Bangor Wednesday, accompanied by Mrs. W. M. Foster.

## WARREN

Mrs. Mary Richmond attended quarterly meeting in Belfast this week.

Miss Susan Stevens went to Portland Monday.

Mrs. Vinal has arrived home from West Rockport.

Mrs. Eugene Hayes is in town, visiting at Mrs. George Pease's.

Mrs. Almira Boardman is visiting with her mother at East Warren.

Eleven candidates were taken into the Rebekah Monday night. Fine refreshments were served.

Warren people were represented at the missionary meeting at Thomaston Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Montomery went to Burnt Island Wednesday.

A box social was held at the Grange Tuesday night.

Rev. Mr. Lait is visiting in town.

## UNION HALL

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Thomas C. Dickens, age 1.53, died Wednesday. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Daniel J. of Camden and W. Lee of Mars Hill. Funeral services will be held from the late residence, 19 Trim street, Saturday at 2 p. m., Rev. B. W. Russell officiating.

Mrs. Flora Rokes is spending a few weeks at her home on Park street.

Mrs. Charlotte Ames leaves today for Boston where she will visit friends.

Miss Gladys Coose is in Knox Hospital following an operation for appendicitis. Her condition is favorable.

L. L. Merrill and family have arrived at their summer home.

Dr. W. L. Dickens of Mars Hill is

in town called by the death of his father the late T. C. Dickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bean have moved into the upper part of the Marshall house on Park street.

L. S. Bracy of Park Harbor is making a visit of a few weeks with his daughter Mrs. Willis M. Pitcher.

Mrs. Joseph Wheeler went Saturday to Brewer to join her husband who has employment there for the summer.

## NORTH UNION

Georgia Henderson, wife of Leon O. Norwood, of North Union died Wednesday morning at a hospital in Rockland. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock (standard time) from her late residence in North Union.

## ROCKPORT

Mrs. Arthur Elwell and children of Belfast are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Storms.

Mrs. Irene Pierce who has been spending a few days with Mrs. Delora Merrill returned Monday to her home in Rockland.

Lester Shibles of Orono was the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Edgar P. Shibles Monday.

Rev. Andrew Young attended the annual meeting of the Lincoln United Baptist Association in Belfast Wednesday.

Harry Lane is at home after an absence of several months.

Mrs. John Newman was operated upon Tuesday at the Knox General Hospital at Rockland for appendicitis.

and at this writing is as comfortable as can be expected. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Leah Lane returned last week to the Normal School in Framingham, Mass., after spending a brief vacation with her parents Capt. and Mrs. George Lane.

Mrs. Minnie Luce is attending the Grand Chapter O. E. S. in Portland this week.

Sch. Lavina M. Snow arrived Tuesday from New York with coal for the Rockport Fuel Co.

The exhibition of drawing and sewing of the Rockport schools scheduled for this evening in Shepherd hall has been postponed to Tuesday night and will be given in the High School building.

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Swift's Best Compound Lard, lb. .... 11c

Swift's 8 lb. pails Compound .... 1.00

4 lb. Pails Compound .... 55c

Pure Lard, 2 lbs. .... 27c

in 5 lb. pails, per pail .... 75c

in 10 lb. pails, per pail .... 1.45

Nut Butterine of any make, 1 lb. .... 25c

5 lbs. .... 1.15; 10 lbs. .... 2.25

Boston Bacon, 1 to 2 lb. pieces, lb. .... 23c

Pork Chops, lb. .... 23c

Pork Roast, lb. .... 23c

Heavy Western Fat Salt Pork, lb. .... 15c

Western Fat and Lean Salt Pork, lb. .... 13c

A1 New Smoked Shoulders, lb. .... 16c

Corned Beef, lb. .... 6c, 8c, 10c

Corned Chuck, lb. .... 12c

Shoulder Cods, corned, all meat, no bones, no waste, lb. .... 15c

Fancy Veal, Native, Chops or Roast, per lb. .... 25c

Veal Steak, lb. .... 35c

Veal roll for roast, all meat, no bone, no waste, per lb. .... 25c

Stew Veal, lb. .... 12c, 15c

Fore Quarter Veal, lb. .... 15c and 20c

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Fancy Plants, per basket .... 30c

Strawberries, per basket .... 35c

Pineapple, large size .... 20c

Spinach, peck .... 35c

Lettuce, 2 heads for .... 25c

Fancy Cukes .... 17c; 3 for .... 45c

Native Radishes, 6 bunches .... 25c

Native Strawberry Rhubarb, 6 lbs. .... 25c

New Bermuda Onions, 4 lbs. .... 25c

Cocoanuts, each .... 8c; 4 for .... 25c

Large Lemons, dozen .... 25c

Fancy Grape Fruit, each .... 10c

Just received extra fancy Navel and Florida Oranges, doz. .... 30c, 50c

Bananas, 2 lbs. for .... 25c

Lime Juice, per bottle .... 25c

Belle Rose Molasses, 1 lb. can, each 5c

6 cans .... 25c

Jiffy Jell or Jello, 3 pkgs. .... 25c

Superba Yellow Eye Beans, large cans, each .... 20c

Large Can Beans .... 15c

Cod Bits in 1 lb. pkgs. .... 10c

3 lbs. .... 25c

Liberty Cocoa, pkg. .... 5c; 7 pkgs. .... 25c

the same, large pkg. 10c; 3 for .... 25c

The best Pineapple, sliced or grated, per can .... 35c; 3 cans .... 1.00

Pure Apple Jelly, per jar .... 15c

We have just five boxes of last year Raisins, 15 oz. pkg. 20c; 3 pkgs. 55c

The best new Sun Maid Raisins, per pkg. .... 25c

New Castana Nuts, lb. .... 20c

Large jars Stuffed Olives, each .... 30c

Flavo Flour, the best for all round use, per bag .... 1.25

Fancy Potatoes, bushel .... 70c

Three Crow Spices of any kind, 1/4 lb. pkg., 3 for .... 25c

Three Crow or Arm & Hammer Soda, 1 lb. pkg., 4 for .... 25c

Fine Granulated Sugar, lb. .... 8c

100 lb. bag for .... \$7.75

Confectionery Sugar, lb. .... 10c

Full Cream Cheese, lb. .... 28c

New Warren Alewives, 6 for .... 25c

Slack Salted Cod Fish, lb. .... 10c

Just received 5 lb. pails Peanut Butter, while they last .... 1.00

Kellogg's Corn Flakes or Post Toasties, pkg. .... 10c

Large pkg. Quaker Oats or Armour's Rolled Oats .... 27c

Small pkg. .... 12c

Quaker Quakes Corn Flakes, 3 for 25c

Jones' Crackers of all kinds, lb. .... 15c

Puffed Rice, per pkg. .... 15c

Bulk Cocoa and Bulk Macaroni, 2 1/2 lbs. for .... 25c

Bulk Coffee, fresh ground, lb. .... 10c

5 lbs. .... 45c

Sandwichola, 4 oz. glass .... 10c

4 glasses for .... 25c

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Per case of 12 bottles .... \$3.50

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5 lb. pails Preserves, of any flavor, lb. 20c, which is \$1.00 per pail.

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15 oz. pkg. Evaporated Apples .... 20c

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## AMERICAN LEGION

## Warrior Nursemaids Made Good—Twenty New Posts Chartered Last Week.

Twenty posts of the American Legion and 62 units of its Women's Auxiliary were chartered during the week ending May 15.

"As time passes, I have grown more and more proud of my part in the foundation of the American Legion," said Assistant Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., in presenting two silk flags to the National Press Club Post of the Legion in Washington, D. C.

Five million poppies have been received by the American Legion's "Poppies for the Front" campaign. The League, which is the American branch of La Ligue Americaine-Francaise des Enfants, will devote the proceeds of the poppy sale to French war orphans.

If the Detroit Tigers don't win the American League baseball pennant, it will not be the fault of the American Legion. Nine members of the team will join Charles A. Learned Post 28, Ty Cobb, a captain in the chemical warfare service during the war, is one of the Michigan Post's best boosters.

Although he found thousands of jobs for unemployed ex-service men, O. H. Krause, American Legion employment secretary at St. Paul, Minn., was almost stumped when two mother nurses asked that two veterans be sent to care for their babies while they went shopping. The warrior nursemaids who answered the appeal made good on the job.

When the school board of Port Huron, Mich., became entangled in an educational and financial controversy which resulted in a deadlock, the American Legion post of the city took a hand. The ex-service men protested against a proposal to oust one teacher and to reduce the salary of another, both of them former soldiers. The deadlock was broken.

Pullmans and tourists' sleepers will be "parked" in the principal town streets of Kansas City, Mo., to accommodate members of the American Legion attending the organization's national convention next fall. Tracks will be laid in the streets and cars connected with the city's electric lighting system so that men desiring to live in the railroad cars may do so.

Despite the fact that the American Legion Weekly is a man's publication, women readers won the first prizes in a contest conducted by the advertising department of the ex-service men's organ for the best written advertisement of a well known dessert. There were 1669 contestants for eight prizes, of which 1975 were men; 821 unmarried women and 273 married women.

A home-coming welcome was accorded F. W. Galbraith, Jr., National Commander of the American Legion, when he returned to his home in Cincinnati to preside at an All-American meeting addressed by Assistant Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and Brigadier General Charles G. Dawes. Led by American Legion members, 4000 citizens of Cincinnati marched in a parade of honor for the Legion Commander.

National Headquarters of the American Legion has received more than 1100 signed resolutions calling upon Congress for immediate legislative aid to disabled veterans of the World War. Among the organizations which have shown the largest response to the appeal of F. W. Galbraith, Jr., National Commander, are Central Labor and Trade unions, Chambers of Commerce, Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs, Knights of Columbus, associations of public school teachers and principals, the American War Mothers' Service, Star Legion and American Legion posts.

## "DON'T WORRY," THEY SAY.

Sun-Spot Outbursts To Be Frequent In Next Three Years, But—

Sun spots do not control terrestrial weather, but are more or less related to auroras, earth currents and terrestrial magnetism, according to the United States Weather Bureau. If there is any relation between terrestrial magnetism and auroras, on the one hand and the weather on the other, it is quite obscure.

The statement said that a time of minimum sun-spottedness is just beginning and will continue from one to three years and the present spot is only one of a number of outbursts which may be expected during that period. The public need feel no concern regarding their effect on the earth's weather, it was added.

Every issue of The Courier-Gazette carries the home news of Knox county to every State in the Union and to many foreign lands.

## W. A. RIPLEY'S HENS

## Averaged 108-96 in Maine Egg Laying Contest—Early Hatching Emphasized.

Mrs. Elwin Noble of Livermore Falls is entitled to first honors in the Maine egg-laying contest, her 25 Rhode Island Reds having attained an average of 119.60 eggs per hen in the six months period covered by the competition which has been conducted under the extension service of the College of Agriculture.

There were eight other contestants whose hens averaged 100 eggs or more each in the six months, and second in this list stands W. A. Ripley of Rockland whose Rhode Island Reds averaged 108.96.

An analysis of the records by breeds shows that the Wyandottes had the best general average, the Rhode Island Reds being second and Barred Plymouth Rocks third.

This contest was the third held in Maine. All the hens in the competition were kept on the farms of their owners housed and fed according to directions and the pens and records inspected by the county agents and state extension poultry specialist.

## ROCKVILLE

W. H. Clough is painting his house. Miss Martha Davis of Rockport visited Leola Tolman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Keene and son Arthur and wife of Thomaston were guests of W. A. Keene and family Sunday.

Mrs. Haskell of Rockland was at Mrs. John Rickett's Sunday. Mrs. Staples has returned to her home at Deer Isle after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Orey Tolman.

Harry Rogers went to North Haven Saturday for a few days.

An omission was made in the date of Mrs. Lucia Stevens birthday, which occurred May 12. Not many ladies of 80 years are as young, bright and intelligent as Mrs. Stevens. She keeps herself young in spirit.

The tornado Sunday evening blew down the chimney of Jason Packard's house. It was fierce while it lasted, a terrific wind which took up great clouds of dust, with rain and hail so thick one could not see their neighbor's house. Young trees and bushes were bent nearly to the ground. The hail came with such force that leaves, blossoms and small branches were strewn about the grounds. There was not much thunder here, but chain lightning was continuous all around the house. If the hail had only destroyed the tent caterpillar nests infesting so many trees, it would have been a blessing.

Saturday and Sunday were the two hottest days since creation, but have seen but one man wearing a straw hat. Monday it was cold enough to snow and Tuesday morning there was a light frost on lowlands, the thermometer registering 32 degrees.

## CUSHING

V. R. Taylor died at his home Sunday, after suffering a paralytic shock Friday, while preparing to drive to Thomaston to spend the day with his daughter, Mrs. T. B. Wyllie.

E. P. Allen, daughter Margaret and a party of young friends, spent Sunday at the Edgerton farm.

Miss Grace Keizer of Rockland is teaching in district 5, and boarding with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Maloney.

B. B. Robinson is in ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robishaw of Rockland spent the weekend in town.

H. V. Robinson has moved his family to his farm at Warren.

Miss Georgia Campbell has returned to her home in New York after spending a few days at her home here.

Charles Bucklin has gone to New York to join a ship, on which he is to act as engineer.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Davis have returned to their home in Glenmere, after spending the winter in town, occupying the R. B. Fillmore house, which Mr. and Mrs. William Rivers are now to occupy.

Saturday and Sunday were scorching hot, quite a change from the weather from the rest of the week.

Irving Fales is driving an auto truck.

Vinal Wallace has bought a horse of Perley Mason.

Jack Bedell of Quincey Mass., who has bought A. S. Tolman's place has arrived with his wife and son.

Mrs. Dorothy Schmid who has been spending the winter in New York city arrived home Sunday.

The last Ladies' Aid supper was served Thursday evening with Mrs. Hattie D. Orr housekeeper. The proceeds were \$15.45. The next supper will be June 16 with Mrs. Rose Wales housekeeper.

## APPLETON

This town is planning for a real old-time observance of Memorial Day. The new Memorial Day Association officers are working hard and the outlook is bright for a successful observance of the day. Wreaths are to be made for the soldiers' graves and a committee is appointed to attend to the placing of these and the flags upon the graves on Memorial Day. The pastor invites all to church Sunday morning at 10:30, standard time, and all veterans of the Civil war and the world war, together with members of the Relief Corps and parents of dead soldiers, are asked to be present and occupy special seats. The subject will be: "When I Remember." On Monday it is hoped that all will lay aside their work and observe the solemn day. Dinner will be served in the Grange dining room at 11:30. All families attending take pastry, and all who furnish are welcome. At 1:30 a parade will start from the square and go to the cemetery where exercises will be held at the monument. A bugler will be present to blow taps. Afterward all will go to the Union church where a program will be carried out. Luce's Orchestra of Thomaston will furnish music, and Rev. C. F. Smith of Union will give the address. The old soldiers and members of the Relief Corps are very happy over the towns people taking up this work that is so dear to their hearts.

Thursday evening, the 19th a small party of friends from the church gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Currier in honor of his birthday anniversary. A birthday cake was presented by the pastor as a token of appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. Currier in caring for the church during the past month. In responding, the recipient said that he valued most highly the efforts made by his friends to make this day one long to be remembered. The cake was cut and sampled, together with fruit, confectionery and cookies. Owing to the ill health of the hostess the visit was not unduly prolonged, and after the ladies had given O. W. the usual clinking upon such occasions the guests departed for their homes leaving their good wishes.

## EAST UNION

Thirty-five members of Pioneer Grange visited Highland Grange at East Warren Saturday night, and conferred the third and fourth degrees.

Laurence Morton has a new Chevrolet car.

Mrs. Clara Snow, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Payson, has returned to her home in South Thomaston.

Jennie Miller is quite ill.

Mrs. Nellie Davis and daughter Inez have been guests of Mrs. Addie Brooks for a few days.

Miss Ethel Gilman was a weekend guest of Mrs. Maud Payson.

There was degree work at the Grange meeting last Thursday night. Several from the Fuller-Col-Davis force and members of the Country Club held a dance here last Friday night. Upon their arrival they found a bountiful supper awaiting them in the banquet hall, furnished by Mrs. Mattie Brown after which a game of baseball seemed to provide much amusement and gave the "boys" ample recreation until the evening's program. The hall had been very attractively decorated with flags under the supervision of E. C. Davis, and it was a jolly crowd who spent the evening tripping the light fantastic too, music being furnished by a Rockland orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dorman have been called to Ashland by the illness of their daughter Edith who is a teacher in the High School there.

## RAZORVILLE

B. K. Ware, Daniel Weaver, Freeman Light, W. E. Overlock and Mrs. Walter Burdick attended Probate Court at Rockland last week.

Angelo Howard and W. E. Overlock went to Augusta on business Saturday.

Nearly a dozen from the Masonic lodge here attended the Lodge meeting at Union last week and report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Overlock attended the funeral of his cousin, the late William Artell Overlock, at South Freedom last week.

Charles H. Savage is moving his family to Union where he is carrying on his farm.

Several from here attended the Masonic Lodge at Liberty last Saturday evening and report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. George McLean are visiting her mother, Mrs. Sanford Jones, making the trip in their new car.

A large number from here attended the funeral of the late George M. Hibbert Sunday.

Clarence Hibbert has purchased the Thomas Sakeforth place of Mrs. Nellie Crocker and will reside there.

Frankie, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Leisher was taken to the hospital at Augusta Sunday for a very bad case of blood poisoning, and his condition is critical.

Dr. J. Warren Sanborn of Waldoboro was called here last week to visit W. L. Leisher who had a sick spell on the road. He also visited his friend W. E. Overlock.

Ralph Hibbert is home this week doing his planting.

## OWL'S HEAD

Sadie Carver and Mary St. Clair have arrived from Haddonfield, N. J., to prepare Garthgannon Lodge for the school season.

Friends of Alec Bain are glad to hear that he is improving.

Mrs. Leland Perry is ill.

Rodney Feyer is in Massachusetts on business.

Summer Whitney has built a large addition to the M. T. Jameson & Co. store.

Saturday evening another dance was held in the hall, a change from Lena Post is home after spending two weeks in Rockland.

Mrs. Truett is making many improvements in the hotel. We wish her success.

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## WALDOBORO

J. W. Palmer, commander, and Barden Turner, adjutant, have issued the following orders in connection with Memorial Day.

In compliance with the Department of Maine, Grand Army of the Republic, Charles Keizer Post, No. 135, will observe Monday, May 29th, as Memorial Day. The following program has been arranged:

In the morning graves will be decorated by detail.

At 11 o'clock, headed by a drum corps, a detail will march from G. A. R. hall to village cemetery.

At 12 o'clock dinner will be served on the Post at G. A. R. hall by the ladies of Charles Keizer Relief Corps at 25c a plate.

At 1 o'clock G. A. R., Veterans of

the World War, Relief Corps, S. of V., and school children will form on Marble avenue and led by drum corps, march to the lower bridge, where services will be held in memory of our deceased naval heroes; then march to the Methodist church where

At 2 o'clock there will be an address by Maude Clark Gay of Waldoboro.

After the address the line will again form and march to G. A. R. hall and disband.

Flags should be placed at half mast on the morning of Memorial Day and so remain until 12 o'clock, noon, when they should be hoisted to full staff for the remainder of the day.

Let every comrade of the Grand Army of the Republic, who is able, make this day what it should be, a

day to commemorate the valor and worth of those who died for their country, and that the Union might be saved.

Sunday, May 29, will be observed as Memorial Sunday. Comrades, Veterans of the World War, Ladies' Relief Corps and S. of V. will meet at G. A. R. hall at 10 o'clock, a. m., and march to the Methodist church to attend divine services. Sermon by Rev. George B. Davis.

## WALDOBORO-BOSTON CLUB.

The Waldoboro-Boston Club holds its annual strawberry festival at the Y. M. C. A. building, Huntington avenue, Saturday, June 4, 1921, at 7:45 p. m. This will be the last meeting of the year and a delightful evening is planned. The sum of 50 cents will be charged to pay for refreshments and other expenses. It is very important that the committee should know how many to provide for not later than Thursday, June 2.

## NORTH BURKETTVILLE

Mrs. H. D. Turner and son were at W. W. Whitakers in Liberty recently. Mrs. Meriam Robbins has returned home from Rockland, and is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Turner.

Andrew Burkett has returned to his home in Lewiston after spending several weeks with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Gladys Leach of Bluehill was the weekend guest of Mrs. H. D. Turner.

Mrs. Ida Lenfest is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Seaney.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Turner and son Irving and Miss Gladys Leach motored to Union Saturday night to attend the movies.

Earl Grinnell and family of Washington visited his mother, Mrs. Cora Grinnell, Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzette Day entertained the following guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Noyes and children Lizzette and Cedric of Union, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Linscott and daughter Louise, of Burketville, George Day and Miss Clara Dearborn.

H. D. Turner and son Irving, Maynard Robbins and Roy Turner attended the auction at John Brackett's old homestead Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Turner and granddaughter Miss Vedar Turner were at Appleton Mills Saturday on business.

Andrew Burkett traded horses with Ernest Light recently.

Mrs. Ida Lenfest visited her aunt Besie Light, in Washington recently.

Mrs. Sarah Jameson visited her sister in North Waldoboro last week.

George Robbins and Maurice Davis passed through this place Tuesday with a drove of cattle for parties in Jefferson.

Leroy Smith of North Warren called on relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. A. K. Jackson was at Mrs. Mary Smith's Tuesday.

P. C. Millay who has been away has returned to his home here and plowed a large piece of land. It seems good to see signs of life on the farms which have been shut up so long. We are very glad to welcome the old neighbors back.

## EMPIRE THEATRE

The popular appeal of "Once to Every Woman" which will be shown Friday, is heightened because it deals with every-day people and treats of a theme that is as old as humanity. Dorothy Phillips first appears as a school girl, the daughter of a village blacksmith, who, because of her good looks and sweet voice, is the pet of the family. She accepts the sacrifices of her parents and sisters and when a visitor from New York offers to send her abroad to have her voice trained she leaves home with no regrets. After many dramatic episodes she finally reaches the goal of her ambition—the creation of the star role in a new grand opera in New York. Her humble home and family are forgotten. Then a tremendous shock causes the loss of her voice. Her new-found friends and admirers leave her. In her mother's great love she finds rare happiness at last.

The Saturday feature is "The Adorable Savage" starring Edith Roberts. The second episodes of the two new serials will be shown Friday and Saturday—adv.

## WATERMAN'S BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland called on us Saturday. They must have put out some good food at those hot suppers in Camden last winter. Oliver came home fat this spring and Charles and Jen surely show their good keep. It does one good to meet people like our Camden friends. They look like people that live contented lives. A contented mind, you know, is a continual feast.

I received the T. D. pipes from St. George this week. There is nothing like letting your wants be known.

"Thanks, friends."

James Cook called Sunday. Said that he had worked nearly full time in the stoneyard at Thomaston since February. Jim is nearing the 70 notch on his talley stick and is quicker than two cats yet. Fred is working in a stoneyard in Massachusetts and Ella is holding the fort in Rockland.

We often wonder how children that have had colds can laugh in their sleep and not wake up. I understand it now all right. Friday I lay awake most all night laughing, but Saturday night went to sleep laughing and woke up laughing. When nature gets overworked we will drop off to sleep in spite of our will power.

Jennie Cleveland says they call it the flu up at Camden. I think that it is surely on the wing, as nearly everyone down here has had it.

We had quite an increase in farm stock Saturday and Sunday. Two hens brought out 20 chickens and the mother rabbit five baby rabbits and the house cat two kittens. I saw the mother rabbit nurse her young Sunday morning at 5 o'clock. She scratched the earth from the hole in which they were born and the babies came out and got their breakfast. If I had been in bed I wouldn't have seen the picnic. One has to live with nature to enjoy it. All these pets have to be taken care of, flu or no flu.

I can't give the name of the Masonic brother who died in Rockville in 1874. I have a record of the deaths of over 75 brother Masons, but it only goes back to 1875. I have the record of the Rockland Masonic Relief Association. A good number of those cards are received by E. T. G. Rawson. The oldest card I have is dated March 19, 1875. It notifies the members of the death of Brother Albert T. Suyard of Aurora Lodge. Wonder how many of the brothers can remember him?

Arthur Dennison is hauling wood to the village, to keep the people warm next winter. Teams are hard to get these days as every family is trying for a garden. Arthur took a day to slick up the family lot on the hill where his father and mother are laid at rest. It seems like only a few years when there was a large family over to the Dennison farm. Now Arthur and his good wife have it all to themselves.

We had a fair-sized shower Sunday afternoon that lasted about an hour with a strong wind from the west.

Plenty of apple blossoms here now; don't think there were any last spring at this time. C. D. S. G.

## WEST APPLETON

Miss Addie Warren has returned to Camden.

W. H. McLain is ill.

Miss Mary Wentworth was the weekend guest of Mrs. Edith Bartlett.

Pearl Moody attended the Masonic meeting at Liberty Saturday night.

Ray Bartlett and Martell McLain were in Belfast last week after their funeral.

Carl Cross and family of Belmont were guests Sunday of Mrs. G. W. Fowles.

Mrs. L. T. Collamore and Miss Ethel of Rockland have been spending a few days in town.

Frank Robinson and family of Belfast and Sunday guests of Mrs. Julia Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Fuller of Camden called on friends in town Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Robinson who spent the winter in Camden, has returned home.

Several from here attended the drama at South Montville Wednesday night.

Mrs. Martha Gross of Bath is caring for her mother, Mrs. Ellen Johnson, who remains quite ill.

Mrs. Mildred Poland of Camden and daughter Grace have been recent guests of Mrs. Edna Moody.

## CLARRY HILL

Nature has an her glad rags at last. Vander Newbert and Herbert Off of North Waldoboro have been helping George Jameson with his farming.

Montell Ross has bought a horse of Ernest Howard of South Hope.

Wilbert Ausland is visiting relatives here for a few weeks.

A. J. Sidelinger who has been working at G. G. Miller finished work Tuesday.

W. J. Smith and grandson, Walter Feyer were in Waldoboro Tuesday on business.

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